Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, sixty years ago on September 8, 1947, G.B. Richey, Jr., took the hand of his beautiful bride, Euleen Whaley, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at the courthouse in Clay County, Arkansas; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, G.B. and Euleen Richey have had the pleasure of raising three children, Linda Taylor, Paul Richey, and Barry Richey, and the privilege of spoiling eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, G.B. Richey is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as an electrician/contractor, an occupation from which he retired after more than fifty years of service; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Euleen Richey offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways and enabled them to become responsible citizens with families of their own; and

Whereas, G.B. and Euleen Richey have enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the past sixty years, a few of which include gardening, bookkeeping, reading, sewing, and cooking; and

Whereas, G.B. and Euleen Richey derive a tremendous amount of spiritual fulfillment through their affiliation with the Church of Christ, a place of worship that has special meaning to them as cherished members: and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Richey, residents of Dexter, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on September 8, 2007, in the Dexter Church of Christ Fellowship Hall:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to G.B. and Euleen Richey for their tremendous success in achieving sixty years of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Richey, Jr.

Offered by	
	Representative Billy Pat Wright
	District No. 159
Ninety-fou certify that	on, Speaker of the House of Representatives, rth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do the above is a true and correct copy of House No, adopted, 2007.
Rod Jetton	, Speaker